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In re application of: Simon Chang

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Tide: METHOD FOR INTEGRATING
INTERBAY AND INTRABAY MATERIAL
TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS WITHIN
AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT FACTORY

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION, 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.